

LOMI LOMI LAW GETS A WARM ROAST

PHYSICIANS' LICENSE LAW IS A DISCRIMINATION IN FAVOR OF "MESSAGE ARTISTS" AND AGAINST TRAINED AND EDUCATED SURGEONS, SAY ATTORNEYS FOR DR. McDONALD—OSTEOPATHS GIVEN ADVANTAGES OVER REAL PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

Thompson & Clemons have filed in the Supreme Court a brief in the case of the Territory against Dr. J. T. McDonald, which is the test case to decide the validity of the law compelling physicians to take out licenses, in which they declare that the law is one merely in favor of "lomi lomi" and so palpably opposed to the constitution that there is hardly an excuse for argument. In support of the proposition that the law is invalid the attorneys say:

"The 'reason and spirit' of any law regulating the practice of the 'healing art,' would, presumably be, the welfare of the public, whom the legislature is supposed to represent, but one can, in all fairness, see nothing in this enactment but an intent to discriminate in favor of a particular class of 'healers' an intent which was carried out by an amendment of provisions of law which operated fairly and without discrimination upon all within their scope. In other words, the law was amended by making it 'worse.'"

"Under the provisions of the amendment act, an osteopath may practice surgery upon an innocent community, without having had any special training in that science, other than the

limited experience necessary for the obtaining of a 'diploma from any legally chartered and regularly conducted school or college of osteopathy,' while a general 'regular practitioner' or a specialist in surgery may not practice surgery without, as this Court must take judicial notice, a prolonged and vigorous course in both medicine and surgery. In other words, under this law the osteopathist, little more than a massage artist or trained nurse, is free to practice the important art of surgery for which the highest skill, training and knowledge are required, and which cannot be practiced without a broad foundation in pure medicine, in biology, chemistry and even mechanics and physics; while the ordinary surgeon must have all these qualifications of both physician and surgeon. This law would operate to permit a man who in his examination for permission to practice medicine and surgery as a physician, had failed for incompetency in the subject of surgery, to practice the very art in which he was incompetent and by reason merely of his having a diploma evidencing his qualifications to practice, the refined art of massaging otherwise known as osteopathy.

YACHTS TO RACE

FOUR WHICH HAVE ALREADY ENTERED AND OTHERS ARE EXPECTED TO GET IN LINE SOON.

The success of the yacht race from San Francisco to Honolulu is already assured for there are four entries now recorded and there is every reason to believe that there will be two, and possibly four more.

The yachts entered are: Nixie, Fulton G. Berry, Corinthian Yacht Club, San Francisco; Anemone, C. L. Tuit, New York Yacht Club, Colorado Springs; La Paloma, C. W. Macfarlane, Hawaii Yacht Club, Honolulu; Lurline, Commodore H. H. Sinclair, South Coast Yacht Club, San Pedro.

The fact that it has been definitely decided to enter La Paloma will bring joy to every man of sporting proclivities, whether yachtsmen or not, for it is an earnest of the faith of Hawaii in the success of the event. The Hawaiian yacht will have to be sailed up to the Coast and refitted up there before starting so that yachtsmen will be assured of the practicability of the race. Incidentally the cost of this trip will be large and it will be plainly the duty of people interested in Hawaii's welfare to contribute to that expense. This is being done liberally and there will be no trouble in raising a satisfactory amount, it is understood. Commodore Macfarlane will be his own skipper but will have a navigator along. Two natives, a cook and two amateurs will complete the crew.

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MOLOKANS ARRIVE

FIRST INSTALMENT OF THE RUSSIAN SETTLERS ARRIVES BY THE CHINA HIS AFTERNOON.

The first of the Molokans are here. The China, which was docked late this afternoon, brought from San Francisco forty families, numbering 120 people in all, men women and children. It is expected that this lot will soon be followed by a number of other families. The intention is to send the Molokans to Kaunala at once, and they will immediately settle on the lands of the Maize Sugar Company, which are later to be turned over to them. They will begin work on the cane lands at once.

SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS.

The Supreme Court this morning adjourned to Wednesday morning. There were no cases ready for hearing on the calendar.

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TAFT FAVORS LOCK CANAL

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 19.—President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Taft are in favor of the construction of locks at the Panama Canal in preference to a sea level canal. This style of canal has been recommended by a minority of the consulting engineers, the majority of the Canal Commission and by the chief engineer.

TO CUBA FOR HONEYMOON

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 19.—Congressman Nicholas Longworth and bride, nee Miss Alice Roosevelt, left today for a bridal trip to Cuba.

NO GAMBLING IN TERRITORIES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 19.—The House today passed the bill prohibiting gambling in Territories of the United States.

KING EDWARD OPENS PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, February 19.—King Edward VII entered London in State today and opened the new Parliament.

MOROCCAN WARSHIP FIRES.

MARCHICA, February 19.—A Moroccan warship has bombarded the factories of French filibusters.

ANOTHER MINING HORROR.

MAITLAND, Colo., February 19.—Sixteen miners were killed in a coal mine here today by a dust explosion.

TRIED TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT OF COLUMBIA. WASHINGTON, D. C., February 19.—Eight shots were fired at President Reyes of Columbia on February 19. President Reyes was unhurt by the bullets.

PYTHIANS WANT NEW QUARTERS

NEGOTIATIONS OPENED FOR THE ACQUISITION OF THE WHOLE SECOND STORY OF THE NEW HARRISON BUILDING AT THE CORNER OF BERETANIA AND FORT STREETS—PLACE WOULD BE LAID OUT FOR THE KNIGHTS AS THEY SAW FIT.

Negotiations were opened tentatively to get the top floor of the Harrison block I think that everyone would be satisfied as it could be laid out on plans suitable to our needs. We have three lodges here, Myrtle, McKinley and Cuba, and I feel sure that with the rapid growth of the order we would be more than justified in taking the new place, that is, of course, if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

It is understood that the Pythians, should they make arrangements with Harrison would have a big hall room which would be available for all sorts of functions and which would of course return a revenue. The lodge rooms, retiring rooms and officers' rooms would be arranged to suit the knights and the owner has expressed a willingness to put in a separate entrance on the Fort street side, if desired.

"The matter is all in the air at present," said Moore this morning, "but we want to get new quarters and if we

WILL WELCOME THE ALL BLACK

SHORT PROGRAM PREPARED FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT OF THE NEW ZEALAND ATHLETES.

Arrangement for the reception of the "All Black" foot ball team of New Zealanders who will pass through here on Wednesday have been put pretty well into shape and while the time that the men spend here will be short, enough will be done to cause them to remember that there is such a place as Hawaii on the map. The S. S. Solomona is expected at 5 a. m. and will depart at 3 p. m. so that the local committee of New Zealanders will have to hurry things through.

As at present planned a committee of two or three will go out to the ship and meet the strangers. They will be met ashore by others and taken for a car ride all over the city. It was found impossible to get a trolley to go to the Washington's birthday parade the following day. The journey will wind up at one of the hotels, probably the Moana where luncheon will be served and the guests then will be free until the sailing of their ship.

Harry Arncliffe has been deputized by the Promotion Committee to look after the visitors as chairman of a special reception committee. He is having prepared a neat souvenir badge for

THE CIVICS TO FRAME A PRIMARY LAW

THE CIVIC FEDERATION WILL TAKE UP THE CONSIDERATION OF A PROPOSED PRIMARY LAW FOR THE TERRITORIES, DURING THE YEAR, AND WILL MAKE A STUDY OF LEGISLATION ON THIS SUBJECT IN OTHER STATES.

The Civic Federation is taking up the matter of a primary law for the territories and will probably have some legislation for consideration by the territorial legislature. The matter has been a good deal discussed among members of the Federation and at the last meeting it will probably come up for further consideration.

As long as there is no primary law it is claimed the door is open for all sorts of fraud in connection with the party nominations. It is known that some rulers and oligarchs have

SURVEY ON TEXAN

BOARD CONSIDERED FOR SURVEY OF DETERMINING DAMAGE, IF ANY, TO THE STRAITS.

A board of survey to determine the extent of the damage, if any, done to the hull of the S. S. Texan by the recent fire, was called this morning. The board consists of Captain A. F. Fisher, harbor master, Captain C. G. of the cable S. S. Houston, and W. J. of the Honolulu Live Stock. The board will start at 10 a. m. today and will report at 4 p. m. It is not yet known how much damage was done to the hull of the ship. It is not yet known how much damage was done to the hull of the ship.

All of the debris from the fire has not been removed from the compartment but a sufficient quantity has been put out to enable the members of the board to make some inspection of the vessel. The indications this morning were that no damage had been done to the hull of the ship by the recent fire. Several days will elapse before the matter can be definitely determined however.

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